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The Statistics Administration of the Azerbaydzhan SSR reports the following data on fulfillment of the 1949 production plan. Azerbaydzhan industry fulfilled the 1949 gross-production plan 102.3 percent, and the 1949 gross-production volume increased 11.2 percent over 1948.

Enterprises of individual ministries and departments fulfilled the gross-production plan as follows:

	Percent
Ministry of Petroleum Industry	102
Ministry of Chemical Industry	109
Ministry of Electric Power Plants	99.7
Ministry of Electrical Industry	100.4
Ministry of Automobile and Tractor Industry	100.5
Ministry of Construction Materials Industry	92
Including Republic enterprises	105
Ministry of Timber and Paper Industry	102
Ministry of Light Industry	102
Including Republic enterprises	103
Ministry of Fish Industry	98
Including Republic enterprises	98
Ministry of Meat and Dairy Industry	88
Including Republic enterprises	87
Ministry of Food Industry	103
Including Republic and rayon enterprises	100.9
Ministry of Agricultural Procurement	98
Ministry of Local Industry	104
Ministry of Automobile Transport	105
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The 1949 plan was fulfilled ahead of schedule and a considerable amount of petroleum, cement, fish, lumber, 150-ton swivels, cotton fiber, silk fabric, sheepskin, butter and fat, confectionary goods, beer, and other products was produced above plan.

The following republic ministries and organizations fulfilled the gross-production plan and the plan for the majority of industrial products, but failed to meet the plan for certain important types of products: Ministry of Construction Materials Industry -- bricks and roofing tiles; Ministry of Light Industry -- hard and chrome leather goods, shoes, sewn articles, and woolen fabric; Ministry of Food Industry -- macaroni products, grape wine, cigarettes, nonalcoholic beverages and soap; Ministry of Local Industry -- construction materials, aluminum ware, shoes, window glass, knitted outer garments, soap, etc.; Ministry of Automobile Transport -- capital repair of machines and motors; Administration of Industrial Cooperatives -- lime, bricks, roofing tiles, aluminum ware, cotton fabric, wicks, carpets, hosiery, knitted underwear, shoes, hard and soft leather goods, and soap; Invalids' Cooperatives -- beds, metal dishware, hard and soft leather goods, silk fabric, shoes, knitted outer garments, and confectionery; Ministry of Timber Industry -- matches.

The following trusts and enterprises fell considerably short of the 1949 production plan: "Ordzhonikidzeneft", "Kaganovichneft", "Molotovneft", steel cable plant, railroad-car repair plant, Zakataly, Kirovabad, Nukha, Lenkoran', and Kuba brick plants, match factory, cloth factory, leather plants No 1 and No 2, shoe factories No 1 and No 2. Ozrechytrest (Lake and River Fish Trust), Administration of Active Fishing, Baku Fish Plant, Yalama and Khudat fish plants, Kirovabad Soap Plant, Zakataly Tea-Processing Factory, nonalcoholic beverage plant, Azdustrest, Lankoran' Tea Factory, ice-cream factory, Azmaslopprom Trust, and radio plant.

The 1949 plan for production of chief industrial goods was fulfilled as follows, in comparison with 1948:

	1949 in %	1949 in % of 1948
Petroleum	104.4	103
Electric power	92	109
Pump piston rods	102	142
Caps for well casing	57	125
Core bits	107	189
3-blade chisels	103	128
Deep pumps	103	116
Balancing machines	95	198
Bearings	101	129
Transformers	91	181
Hydrochloric acid	98	139
Sulfuric acid	101	107
Caustic soda	102	135
Cement	113	120
Bricks	72	103
Lime	86	108
Radio receivers	97.5	-
Cotton fiber	109	121
Wool fabric	83	110
Cotton fabric	98	102
Silk fabric	102	136
Hosiery	97	142
Knitted outer garments	66	71
Knitted underwear	95	136

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	1949 in %	1949 in % of 1948
Hard leather	82	92
Artificial leather	97	96
Shoes	83	106
Meat	91.5	81
Sausage products	93	127
Fish catch	105	129
Butter and fat	103	100.8
Vegetable oil	102	115
Macroni products	99.6	92
Confectionery	106	147
Canned goods	102	116
Tea (processing)	88	179
Grape wine	69	136
Beer	107	113
Cigarettes	92	121
Salt	102	151

The 1949 plan for combine harvesting was fulfilled 101 percent, and MTS completed 96 percent of the plan for threshing. The plan for hay cutting was fulfilled 118 percent, and for tobacco picking 116 percent.

The plan for sowing winter grains for harvest in 1950 was fulfilled 101 percent, and the plan for plowing was also completed 101 percent. The plan for MTS tractor tilling was fulfilled 105 percent, and the fourth-quarter plan for fall-winter repairs of tractors was fulfilled 114 percent.

Divichinskiy, Zangelanskiy, Marazinskiy, Siazanskiy, Dzhebrail'skiy, Bardinskiy and Konakhkendskiy rayons are lagging in the sowing of winter crops. The leading rayons are: Khanlarskiy, Shaumyanovskiy, Yevlakhskiy, Lenkoranskiy, Pushkinskiy, Khachmasskiy, Shemakhinskiy, Masallinskiy and Kubinskiy.

The 1949 plan for average daily loading in railroad transport was fulfilled 100.4 percent, including 111 percent for petroleum, 102 percent for mineral construction materials, 98.6 percent for grain and flour, and 66 percent for various ores.

The average daily loading of all types of freight increased 2.4 percent over 1948.

Hauling of freight by the Administration for the Utilization of Small Rivers for Transport increased as follows over 1948: 157 percent in tons, 135 percent in ton-kilometers; the 1949 plan was fulfilled 122 percent in tons and 121 percent in ton-kilometers.

The Azerbaydzhan SSR completed 86.9 percent of the 1949 plan for capital construction, including Union construction projects 86.6 percent and republic construction projects 92.7 percent. The volume of capital construction increased 8 percent over 1948.

Individual ministries and departments fulfilled the 1949 plan for capital construction as follows: Ministry of Light Industry, 104 percent; Ministry of Health, 100.3 percent; Ministry of Automobile Transport, 100.4 percent; Committee for Arts, 117 percent; Ministry of Fish Industry, 100 percent; Ministry of Local Industry, 80 percent; Ministry of Construction Materials Industry, 92 percent; Ministry of Timber Industry, 98 percent; Ministry of Meat and Dairy Industry, 90 percent; Ministry of Food Industry, 69 percent; Ministry of Agriculture, 73 percent; Ministry of Irrigation, 88 percent; Ministry of Education, 68 percent; Main Road Administration, 97 percent; rayon construction projects of the Ministry of Communal Economy, 110 percent; and construction projects of the Baku City Executive Committee, 67 percent.

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The 1949 retail commodity turnover was fulfilled 91.4 percent, including 92 percent for retail trade turnover and 87.7 percent for public eating enterprises.

The plan was fulfilled as follows by individual ministries and departments: Ministry of Trade Azerbaydzhane SSR, 88 percent; "Azerittifak," 93 percent; Azerbaydzhane Fishermen's Consumer Union, 99.5 percent; URS of "Azneft" Association 97.5 percent; General Department Store, 89 percent; "Gastronom" (Special Food Store), 88 percent; Maritime transport trading enterprises, 85 percent; Azerbaydzhane Office of Railroad Restaurants, 87 percent; URS of Azerbaydzhane Railroad System, 100.6 percent; URS of Mingecheur GES Constructor, 111 percent.

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